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C O N F I D E N T I A L BERN 3965

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: EAIR, BEXP, ESTC, SZ, SA, IR, IZ

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR INFO ON US POLICY ON SALE COMMERCIAL
AIRCRAFT TO IRAQ

1. SWISS REP BEECHCRAFT ROBERT GERBER WHO COVERS
MIDDLE EAST HAS ASKED WHETHER USG HAS ANY OBJECTION
IN PRINCIPLE TO SALES COMMERCIAL AIRCRAFT TO IRAQ.
WE UNDERTOOK INQUIRE, RELAY RESPONSE.

2. IN COURSE CONVERSATION GERBER SAID HE HAD CHECKED
WITH IRANIANS. CONTRARY TO EARLIER RESPONSE THAT HE
COULD FORGET ABOUT ANY SALES TO IRAN IF BEECHCRAFT SOLD
TO IRAQ, IRAN NO LONGER OBJECTS.

3. GERBER WILL ALSO CHECK WITH SAUDIS BEFORE
PROCEEDING FURTHER, SINCE BEECHCRAFT HAS BEEN SELLING
WELL IN SAUDI ARABIA.

4. ACTION REQUESTED: BASIS FOR RESPONSE TO GERBER'S
QUESTION.
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